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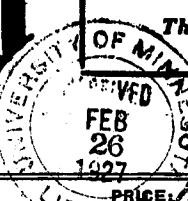
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## EUGENE CHEN AND MARCUS GARVEY

### The Careers of Two Remarkable Men: *A Comparison*

The statesman and patriot on whom the eyes of the world are riveted today is EUGENE CHEN, the able Foreign Minister of the Chinese Nationalists (the Cantonese) who are now writing a glorious page in Chinese history.

Engene Chen, according to common report, is half Chinese, with Negro blood in his veins. He was born in the island of Trinidad, British West Indies, about forty-five years ago, attended school there, then proceeded to London, where he graduated as a lawyer. The condition of his countrymen irked him and, leaving the metropolis of the arch-exploiters, he went to China, started journalistic work and preached the gospel of a China free and redeemed. He was soon recognized as an unusually gifted leader, as a man of destiny, and the masses heard him gladly. He was thrown into prison, but the far-seeing of his followers rallied to his support and forced the President of China to release him, even though he had been condemned to die.

Fate decreed that MARCUS GARVEY, too, should be born in the British West Indies. A full-blooded Negro, he first saw the light of day in the island of Jamaica. He was schooled there. Like Chen he, too, went to London, where he engaged in journalistic work. He, too, his soul stirred by the plight of his countrymen, caught the vision of an Africa free and redeemed, and shook the dust of London town off his feet.

But to proceed to Africa and to sound his rallying call there would have been to kill the babe before it was born, and so he came to the United States of America, the greatest republic in the world, where are domiciled the greatest number of Negroes, outside of Africa. Here he pitched his tent. He formed the Universal Negro Improvement Association, Inc., the Black Star Line, Inc., and other auxiliary corporations, and made the welkin ring with his slogan of "Africa for the Africans, Those at Home and Those Abroad." Like Chen, he, too, was thrown into prison.

But unlike Chen—

Garvey, after two years, is still in jail. His followers are legion—loyal and faithful and devoted, but they seem to expect that, in this matter of their leader's release, others will do for them what they should do for themselves.

It is high time that Marcus Garvey was back at his post, commanding, for black men, the attention and respect of the world, fighting for a free and redeemed Africa, writing a new and glorious page in Negro history.

The United States of America view sympathetically the efforts of Chen and his hosts to redeem China. The United States cannot but give a helping hand to Garvey and his hosts in their effort to redeem their God-given Africa.

Wake up, Negroes, and use every lawful means in your power to persuade President Coolidge to restore to you your leader.

What Chen and the Chinese are doing, Garvey and God's black men can do.

Africa is calling. Give your answer now.

EDITOR, THE NEGRO WORLD.

## JEWS' COLONIZATION EXPERIMENT GREAT SUCCESS, SAYS STATESMAN

Palestine Jews Thriving—Rare Example of Self-Control and Self-Sufficiency—Back Under Their Own Vine and Fig-Tree, the Jews Show a Great Transformation—Complete Political and Economic Freedom

By Col. Josiah Wedgwood, M.P.D.B.O. (Col. Wedgwood was vice-chairman of the Labor Party in Britain in 1922).

The best impression that I received was that the Jews were the self-sufficient ones of the Jews. Whether it was in Tel Aviv or in the colonies, they were at home. The Chauzis swagging down the streets, worrying about what anybody was thinking of him. What he was right, what he thought was right, the results of his policies did not matter. Even the Jew getting into the train at Kantara stretched his legs so he sat down in the middle of the aisle cause he had no home; the little worries of being an exile had gone. The Englishman has never felt like an exile anywhere; the Jews have, and this strong strain of homesickness will not go away with a country who has evidently worked a marvel.

It does not strike a visitor that there is a large, small minority in the country. The Arabs are tucked away in villages, the Jews are the intelligent, and visibly there are a great many more of them. The Englishman sees that the Jew really feels that he is now in his own country with his people all around him. The government leaves him alone, and he can set up his business without any trouble, so that he lives in a republic of his own inside the State.

In fact, all life is a wonderful experiment to complete political and economic freedom, so that my most abiding impression of Palestine is of a young, self-reliant people, like an Englishman. I wish they were English, but they were the nearest approach to it, and I could not help being glad there were more Englishmen there. The Englishman setting so fine an example of these rigid virtues, self-control and self-sufficiency, which we rather flutter after,

State Department Answers Purpose of New Armed Forces

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—In a formal statement tonight the State Department confirmed Managua's decision that the 1,500 United armed forces be kept sent to the Altagracia-Corinto Railroad to keep open communication to the sea.

This is a step in the direction of a military alliance under the Central American Republic, which will be completed when the U. S. Marine Corps, which he raised in his plea for "Africa for the Africans," will be brought into the fold of the race. He described the expedition as "a venture which might feel a little out of place among those Jews. It was a working class audience, 2,000 strong, looking out over the ocean and cheering wildly, followed quite well, all speech in English. There was no harnessing about them; they were thin, wiry, and full of vim. They were, by far, the best Western advice, just because it came from a friend. I had the uncomfortable feeling that they knew what I had, but were too tired to say it."

Labor in Tel Aviv rules the town. Tel Aviv is a republic on its own; its labor leaders, rather than the individual section under Saritzky or whether it be the collectivist section under Ben Gurion and Ben Zvi, are most responsible for the welfare of the agitators. They cannot waste their time on policies, for there is practical work they have to do by day. I am told that the Negroes have a university education. While I believe he tries to instruct these people, I concluded by taking notes for our guide.

I need hardly say that Tel Aviv is the only Western town in the Levant, and at present it gives one the impression of being much more advanced than surrounding towns of exhibit—all show. I am told that in America, especially in New York, the Chinese of the Levant are drawn from among that any other town could in any part be its superior. If this goes

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Disarming of Senussi Tribes Near Tripoli-Border Is Wanted

CAIRO, Egypt, Feb. 16.—It is becoming alarmed at the increasing activities of the Senussi tribes who are situated in Egyptian territory close to Tripoli.

The Italian Government today addressed a note to the Egyptian government requesting the latter to disband the Senussi tribe, which demands the capture of certain members of the tribe.

The Senussi tribe was killed Tuesday night, and the Egyptian government sent for the Senussi chief, and the Senussi chief, who are in the cooperative guild, much more anxious to hold on to capital than to defend it, and the last minute, he became the individual section under Saritzky or whether it be the collectivist section under Ben Gurion and Ben Zvi, are most responsible for the welfare of the agitators. They cannot waste their time on policies, for there is practical work they have to do by day. I am told that the Negroes have a university education. While I believe he tries to instruct these people, I concluded by taking notes for our guide.

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KANSAS EUGENICS BILL BARS INTERMARRIAGE OF WHITES AND BLACKS

TOPEKA, Kansas, February 10.—An amendment to the eugenics bill, which would prohibit intermarriage between members of the Caucasian and Ethiopian races was attached to the "dead" eugenics bill here Wednesday. The committee on temperance and public morals, which had the bill introduced, voted to amend the bill to prohibit intermarriage between members of the Senussi tribe in Egypt and the Senussi chief.

The bill was killed Tuesday night by the committee and no one thought it was being favorably considered.

However, an amendment providing that applicants for marriage may have less than \$1,000 in deposit in banks over and above outstanding debts was adopted.

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TROUBLE WITH MOROS

BAND OF 500 IN COTOBATO DIFYING Philippine Constabulary

COTOBATO, P. I., Feb. 17.—Conflicts between Philippine Government forces and Moros in the up-river districts of Cotobato Province were disclosed yesterday by a message from Col. Lother, commanding the Cotabato Division.

The message came from Governor Gutierrez of Cotobato and called for the withdrawal of certain troops of the Senussi tribe resident in Egypt and the arrest and surrender of the agitators.

The Egyptian Government has not replied.

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## DEMANDS BOYCOTT AGAINST BRITAIN IN AID OF CHINA

"The Dirty Decade" Historians Will So Dub the 1920-1930 Epoch, Says Pastor

German Deputy Starts Brussels Conference with Boycott Cry—Senegalese Negro Demands Africa for the Africans

BRUSSELS, Feb. 16.—Demanding that the civilized nations of the world boycott Great Britain in event of war in China and that a commission of inquiry be set up to investigate conditions in the Dutch East Indies, the German Communist Deputy Munzenberg started today's session of the Congress for Oppressed Peoples.

A resolution passed by the executive committee to organize a world league to fight imperialism and to aid nations struggling for national independence was another feature of the session.

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RELIGION AND RACE PREJUDICE

D EAN KELLY MILLER of Howard University has given to the Negro newspapers which use his releases a very thorough discussion of the living question of religion and race prejudice. The spread of Christianity and race prejudice, with the predominance of the English speaking Protestant peoples in the affairs of the world at this time, is due less to the spirit of the Christian churches than to the policies of Christian statesmen. This fact should not be overlooked in considering the question of religion in its relation to race prejudice. Dean Miller quite agrees with the three-year-old position taken by President-General Marcus Garvey on the color of the God men should have, and we dare say the brethren of the Negro church will go after him with a sharp stick. In opening the discussion, he says:

"I contributed an article to the Student World, published in Geneva, Switzerland, last July, of which I am now giving my readers the benefit.

"Marcus Garvey, some little time ago, shocked the spiritual sensibilities of the religious world by suggesting that the Negro should paint his God black. The idea was revolting even to the Negro, accustomed as he is to the color bias of the white race, from which he has barrowed his ideal conception of all things in heaven and on earth. The Western mind has so long looked upon God as being naturally and normally white that it has unconsciously identified His visage with His virtue.

"If Mr. Garvey's ideal should prevail and celestial beings should be painted black, the change in the color scheme would be a fatal stumbling block to the white Christian world. Whenever I see Christ and the angels painted black on the walls of unscrupulous Negro churches, I am reminded of the never-fading tendency of human nature to enoble and glorify its own type of flesh and blood.

"Among all peoples in all ages the gods create man in their own image; man in his turn fashions his gods in his own likeness."

What does the Holy Bible, which the white races have adopted as their own, say on this vital question? It says:

"And God said, Let us make man in our image; after our likeness; so God created man in His own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created He them." (Genesis 1, 26-27.)

If we ask where is that man and what does he look like, the male and female, we shall be in the better position to get at the truth and make the white brother show why in the evolution out of which families and races and nations have been made, should claim to be that original man, male and female, to the absolute exclusion of the black, red and brown races, all of whom came to type in what they are, the same as did the Nordic upstart, concerning whom not a word is said in the Holy Bible.

Religion which fosters race prejudice is in direct conflict with the teachings of Jesus and the Christian Fathers.

WHAT WE BELIEVE

Hail! United States of Africa!

Hail! United States of Africa—free!  
Hail! Motherland most bright, divinely fair!  
State in perfect sisterhood united,  
Born of truth; mighty thou shalt ever be.

Hail! Sweet land of our father's noble kin!  
Let joy within thy bounds be ever known;  
Friend of the wandering poor, and helpless, too,  
Light to all, such as freedom reigns within.

From Liberia's peaceful, western coast  
To the foaming Cape at the southern end,  
There's but one law and sentiment sublime,  
One flag, and it's emblem of what we boast.

The Nigerians are all united now,  
Sierra Leone and the Gold Coast, too,  
Gambia, Senegal, not divided.  
But in one union happily baw.

The treason of the centuries is dead,  
All alien whites are forever gone!  
The glad home of Sheba is once more free.  
As over the world the black man raised his head.

Bechuanaland, a State with Kenya,  
Members of the Federal Union grand,  
Send their greetings to sister Zanzibar,  
And so does laughing Tanganyika.

Over in Grand Mother Mozambique,  
The pretty Union Flag flies in the air,  
She is sister to good Somaliland,  
Smiling with the children of Dahomey.

Three Justy cheers for old Basutoland,  
Tribute, Tunis and Algeria,  
Uganda, Kameroen, all together  
Are in the Union with Nyasaland.

We waited long for fiery Morocco,  
Now with Guinea and Togo she comes,  
All free and equal in the sisterhood,  
Like Swazi, Zululand and the Congo.

There is no state left out of the Union—  
The East, West, North, South, including Central,  
Are in the nation, strong forever,  
Over blacks is glorious dominion.

Hail! United States of Africa—free!  
Country of the brave black man's liberty:  
State of greater nationalhood than hitherto,  
A new life for the race is just begun.

Marcus Garvey.  
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ago because of poor health. As a matter of fact, just why Dr. Hood assigned his high office, following his return to his post from a visit to this country last year, has not been given out. Mr. Carter's appointment is in the nature of a promotion, in line with the new policy of the State Department to fill vacancies in the diplomatic and consular service by promotion of those who have had experience in the service. Mr. Carter has been consul to Madagascar for a great many years. He is an upstanding Negro and he deserves the promotion he has received.

There was some apprehension that a white man would be named to succeed Dr. Hood, as it was generally believed that the Firestone Rubber Company was in some way responsible for the recall of Dr. Hood. We have never had a white minister to Liberia. Since the appointment to President Grant of J. Milton Turner of Missouri, we have had Negro ministers, some of them, like Dr. Henry Highland Garnett of New York, men of great and deserved reputation. In the case of Haiti we have had but one white minister since E. D. Bassett was appointed to the office by President Grant. We have no minister to Haiti at this time, and it has been reported that President Borno has intimated that his government does not desire that a Negro shall be sent as such to him. The statement may not be true, but that has been the attitude of the Haitian government, as we remember it, for a great many years.

Let us hope that Minister Carter will make a success of his high designation to the West African Republic post.

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OF COURSE YOU WILL JOIN IN THE LITERARY CONTEST

NATIONALIZATION OF CHINA BECOMING POSSIBLE

O f course the fact that the Chinese people are fighting among themselves, being divided into two factions, the Canton and Peking factions, the fact remains that the nationalization of China and the liberation of the nation from the tyranny of the treaty powers of Europe, with the inclusion of Japan, has steadily gained ground, because both factions are in favor of the policy of China for the Chinese. On this question there is not enough division to make it a disturbing factor. The treaty powers have for many years gradually encroached upon the sovereignty of China in order to jeopardize its independence and to make it subservient to them as to the conduct of its internal or domestic affairs, having their own territories in most of the large strategic cities where foreigners live and are governed by their own laws and customs. No Christian nation would tolerate for an hour any such usurpation of territory and authority and exercise of executive and judicial powers as the treaty powers have imposed upon the Chinese people, who are united in their demand that such a condition of affairs shall cease. If the demand is disregarded it is highly probable that the warning will find the necessity of joining forces and confronting the white enemy.

The aspiration after nationhood is just as strong among the Asiatic and African people as it is among the European and American people, and just as the white races have secured their present domination in world affairs by standing as a unit and working together to put over a common program of conquest and exploitation, so must the black and brown races of Asia and Africa stand as a unit and work together. They are beginning to understand this fact, and therein is much hope that vast gain may come out of the Chinese demand for nationhood. Africa is beginning to make a like demand. Asia and Africa are waking up.

NEW UNITED STATES MINISTER FOR LIBERIA NAMED

T HE unexpected has happened. President Coolidge, it is announced, has appointed James G. Carter of Brunswick, Georgia, to be minister resident and consul general to the Republic of Liberia to succeed Dr. Solomon Porter Hood of New Jersey, who is alleged to have tendered his resignation a few months

WHAT EUROPEANS HAVE AT STAKE IN CHINA

From Philadelphia Public Ledger

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Colonel William Hayward replied: "My men never retire. They go forward or they die." It is the spirit of the successful warrior that has enabled the Hon. Marcus Garvey to rise above his fellowmen. It should live in the heart of every Garveyite; it should be the dominant influence in every division. Garvey must and will go forward, not looking down, or back or in—but up, and out, and forward.

The Universal Negro Improvement Association is interested in efforts for readjustment other than its own. The universality of the ideal it fosters makes this inevitable. While we are convinced that African autonomy is the only way out, there's much that is helpful to be learned from other agencies working towards the same attachment.

The rank and file of Negroes are passionately proud of the leadership of Marcus Garvey, but because of their dependency on white philanthropy and national sympathy, are not free to give full expression to this pride.

It is not what others think about Garvey and Garveyism, but just the way you feel about it—herein lies the key to failure or success.

Less linking eloquence and more of concerted service is what our brothers need to hasten the development and expansion of our cause.

A certain section of the American Negro Press has tried by subtle propaganda to fasten upon its readers the notion that China's intervention in the West Indies is aimed at the United States. This is not true. The Chinese are not the aggressors. They are the victims of foreign intervention.

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### Garveyites Can Crush Enemy with Loyalty

To the Editor of The Negro World:

The enemies within our ranks are as wise as the owl, as sly as the fox, and as destructive as the boll worm. The owl perches himself safely in the oak, with his eyes and ears open and his face closed. The fox slips out under cover of darkness to mingle with his kind, and to make a raid, if opportunity comes, on the innocent lamb of the good shepherd's flock, but he cunningly evades disclosing his identity or his place of abode.

The boll worm, while in its seminal state, enters the pod of the plant, taking nourishment from the unripe portion it intends to destroy. Gaining in strength, it finally secures a foothold, and then proceeds to bore from within.

We should work in harmony with each other and be true to our motto: ONE GOD! ONE AIM! ONE DESTINY! By so doing we may be able to crush the enemy within our ranks.

Our greatest desire is to establish a government on the continent of Africa for the protection of four hundred millions black people of the World.

Forget the slander you have heard, Forget the hasty, unkind word, Forget the quarrel and the cause, Forget the whole affair, For forgetting is the only way.

Forget the trials you have had, Forget the weather if it is bad, Forget the knocker, he's a freak, Forget to even get the blues, But don't forget to pay your dues.

MRS. MATTIE DISMUTH.

Cincinnati, Ohio.

### Marcus Garvey Is God's Messenger

To the Editor of The Negro World:

The president, Marcus Garvey, has said to us in the words of Isaiah, "Whosoever among you that feareth the Lord, that obeyeth the voice of his servant, that walketh in darkness and hath no light, let him trust in the name of the Lord and stay himself upon God."

But before we take this peace and strength-giving precept with its profound meaning, let us examine ourselves, take a general retrospect of conditions as they exist. Let us fear the Lord and obey the voice of Marcus Garvey, president and founder of the great Universal Negro Improvement Association. This is his voice and he is the servant of God.

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In physical matters he has been able to discover and utilize the undreamed-of forces which surround us, and well-being, force which surrounds us. But for some reason, except for the few who have been able to master the force that controls and masters man's true self, and their study has been annihilated by the average man.

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### ROSENWALD PROMISES TO ADD \$25,000 TO HOWARD UNIVERSITY ENDOWMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 17.—In a conference here in Washington last night; Wednesday, Feb. 16, 1927, with Dr. Mordecai W. Johnson, president, and Dr. Emmett J. Scott, secretary-treasurer, administrative officials of Howard University. Mr. Julius Rosenwald, the Chicago philanthropist, agreed to give \$25,000 of the \$30,000 still needed to meet the conditional offer of the General Education Board to give \$250,000 toward a \$500,000 endowment for the Medical School of Howard University.

The General Education Board some time ago made a conditional offer of \$250,000 toward the endowment of the School of Medicine of Howard University, provided, an equal amount be given by officers, teachers, alumni and friends of the university. The sum of \$151,000 of the \$250,000 to be raised among friends of the university has been collected and paid into the treasury of the university. It is to facilitate the early collection of the remaining \$99,000 that Mr. Rosenwald has made his generous offer.

The Medical School of Howard University has been in continuous existence since 1862. It has sent out into the world more than 2,500 graduates from the medical, dental and pharmaceutical departments. These graduates are at work in forty (40) States of the United States and in six (6) foreign countries, including Porto Rico, Panama and South Africa. Five hundred and sixty-nine of those who practice justice in its truest sense. As Negroes, one suffers from the burden of injustice more than we do. It is practiced against us in every walk of life; politically, socially, industrially, educationally, commercially, judicially, and even religiously.

The most flagrant injustice today in the whole world is that which is being meted out to our leader, the Hon. Marcus Garvey.

Negroes owe it to the race to get together and demand that justice be done by releasing Marcus Garvey.

MRS. J. E. GILES.

Pontiac, Mich.

### Firestones Discuss with Coolidge the Future Of Rubber in Liberia

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—Harvey S. Firestone and his son, Harvey S. Jr., were luncheon guests at the White House today. The conversation dealt with legislation to encourage rubber cultivation in the Philippine Islands, and what the Firestone firm has done to produce rubber in Liberia.

Harvey S. Firestone, Jr., has just returned from Liberia, where he reported 20,000 additional acres would be planted with rubber trees this year, making the acreage under cultivation about 30,000. Mr. Firestone and those interested with him have 1,000,000 acres in Liberia which is proposed finally to cultivate.

At present the production in Liberia amounts to 100,000 pounds of rubber a month. Mr. Firestone told the President he was greatly encouraged over the prospects in Liberia and that in the next fifteen years his rubber grove would be a factor in world production.

Mr. Firestone met Thomas A. Edison here tonight and journeyed with him to Florida. They expect to meet Henry Ford at Fort Meyers, where both Ford and Edison have homes.

### Would Divorce Wife Who Turns Out to Be White

OLANDE, Cal., Feb. 10.—Albert Thomas, last Friday discovered that the woman he married in 1908 is of the white race and has entered suit in the divorce court for an annulment on the ground that she deceived him.

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### PROMOTING HEALTH AMONG THE YOUNG

#### Harlem Committee of New York Health Association Discusses Problem at Annual Meeting

Health was considered from a variety of viewpoints at the annual meeting of the Harlem Committee of the New York Tuberculosis and Health Association, Tuesday evening, at the Urban League Building, 202 West 136th street. Among the speakers was Mrs. Ellis MacDougald, vice-principal of P. S. 89, who spoke on "Health Education for the School Child."

"The primary aim of education is to promote the well-being of all," said Mrs. MacDougald. "And health is of prime importance in attaining this. We lay a great deal of stress on it in the public schools because a child cannot learn if he is not physically fit. If he needs glasses, he cannot see and therefore cannot learn. If he is undernourished, his mind is not alert. If he has diseased tonsils he may appear dull when really he is sick."

Mrs. MacDougald said P. S. 89 cooperated with the Harlem Committee—in every way possible and that children frequently are sent from the school to the dental clinic and nutrition class.

Dr. Alonso De G. Smith led a discussion of health in schools in which he urged the co-operation of parents with school and medical authorities in keeping children well, by having them immunized against diphtheria and vaccinated against smallpox and observing quarantines.

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